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1. In late March Communist troops in Fukien were building gun emplacements and installing approximately ten howitzers in the Wuchu (烏猪), Changmen (119-33, 26-09), Houlung (後龍), and Meihua (梅花) areas near the mouth of the Min River.
2. In March all important state and privately-owned factories, depots, and military supplies at Nant'ai (南台), Foochow, were removed to an area south.
3. In mid-March Communist government organs in Foochow began moving to the suburbs of the city.
4. Effective 1 April school hours for all primary and middle schools in Foochow will be from 5 p.m. to 10 p.m. daily.
5. On 1 April 12 armored cars began patrolling Foochow streets.
6. On 21 March the government and bank of Tungshan (117-31, 23-45) Hsien moved to the premises of the Catholic Church at Yunhsiao (117-15, 24-01). In March a large number of civilians in Tungshan Hsien were ordered by the authorities to move inland, and by the end of March approximately 7,000 persons had moved to Kiangsi Province via Yunhsiao.*

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